

**Tennessee Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges  
Year-End Summary Report  
Based On Number of Reported Cases  
January - December 2000**

Juvenile Court **SULLIVAN DIV 1**  
Court Number **82**

January - December 2000                      885 Cases Were Disposed Of Or Adjusted  
Affecting                                      652 Children

General Characteristics Of These Cases Follow:

**Referral Reasons Before Amended Charges**                      *Each Case May Include Up To 5 Referral Reasons  
Therefore The Number Of Total Referral Reasons, Referral Sources, Intake Actions, Formal/Informal Actions,  
And Person Executing The Action May Be Greater Than The Total Number of Cases*

0	OR	0.00% Criminal Homicide
0	OR	0.00% 1st Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00% 2nd Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Rape
0	OR	0.00% Rape of a Child
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Esp. Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Esp. Aggravated Kidnapping
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Robbery
1	OR	0.10% Aggravated Kidnapping
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Child Abuse/Neglect
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Sexual Battery
0	OR	0.00% Rape
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Manslaughter
0	OR	0.00% Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Sexual Abuse of a Child
1	OR	0.10% Other Sexual Offenses
7	OR	0.72% Aggravated Assault
1	OR	0.10% Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Criminally Negligent Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Attempt to Commit a Crime Against Person
21	OR	2.15% Assault
1	OR	0.10% Reckless Endangerment
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Arson
0	OR	0.00% Arson
5	OR	0.51% Aggravated Burglary
15	OR	1.53% Theft of Property
10	OR	1.02% Vandalism
2	OR	0.20% Forgery
0	OR	0.00% Worthless Checks
0	OR	0.00% Illegal Possession/Fraudulent Use of Credit/Debit Cards
6	OR	0.61% Burglary
0	OR	0.00% Unauthorized use of a Vehicle
0	OR	0.00% Cruelty to Animals

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0	OR	0.00% Sale of Controlled Substances
13	OR	1.33% Other Drug Offenses
3	OR	0.31% Possession of Controlled Substances
0	OR	0.00% Criminal Attempt
1	OR	0.10% Carrying Weapons on School Property
1	OR	0.10% Unlawful Carrying/Possession of a Weapon
2	OR	0.20% Evading Arrest
0	OR	0.00% Escape
7	OR	0.72% Driving Under Influence (DUI)
5	OR	0.51% Possession/Consumption of Alcohol
0	OR	0.00% Resisting Stop, Frisk, Halt, Arrest or Search
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Criminal Trespass
1	OR	0.10% Harassment
0	OR	0.00% Failure to Appear
1	OR	0.10% Filing a False Police Report
1	OR	0.10% Criminal Impersonation
0	OR	0.00% Disorderly Conduct
2	OR	0.20% Criminal Trespass
14	OR	1.43% Public Intoxication
0	OR	0.00% Gambling
174	OR	17.77% Traffic
1	OR	0.10% Local Ordinances
1	OR	0.10% Violation of Wildlife Regulations
0	OR	0.00% Contempt of Court
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Probation
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Aftercare
72	OR	7.35% Unruly Behavior
7	OR	0.72% Truancy
6	OR	0.61% In-State Runaway
0	OR	0.00% Out-of-State Runaway
79	OR	8.07% Possession of Tobacco Products
2	OR	0.20% Violation of a Valid Court Order
1	OR	0.10% Violation of Curfew
0	OR	0.00% Sexually Abused Child
0	OR	0.00% Physically Abused Child
36	OR	3.68% Dependency/Neglect
3	OR	0.31% Termination of Parental Rights
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Informal Adjustment
168	OR	17.16% Judicial Review
1	OR	0.10% Administrative Review
0	OR	0.00% Foster Care Review
64	OR	6.54% Custody
11	OR	1.12% Visitation
35	OR	3.58% Paternity/Legitimation
133	OR	13.59% Child Support
0	OR	0.00% Request for Medical Treatment
0	OR	0.00% Consent to Marry
64	OR	6.54% Other
979	OR	100.00% Total

Of the 885 Cases, There Were  
**Referral Source**

979 Referral Sources

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376	OR	38.4% Were Referred By Law Enforcement
267	OR	27.3% Were Referred By Parents
39	OR	4.0% Were Referred By Relatives
2	OR	0.2% Were Referred By Self
32	OR	3.3% Were Referred By School
3	OR	0.3% Were Referred By CSA
25	OR	2.6% Were Referred By DCS
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Other State Departments
8	OR	0.8% Were Referred By District Attorney's Office
169	OR	17.3% Were Referred By Court Staff
1	OR	0.1% Were Referred By Social Agency
8	OR	0.8% Were Referred By Other Court
6	OR	0.6% Were Referred By Victim
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Child & Parent
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Hospital
1	OR	0.1% Were Unknown
42	OR	4.3% Other
979	OR	100.0% Total

Of the 885 Cases, There Were 979 Intake Actions

#### Intake Actions

432	OR	44.1% Petition Filed
5	OR	0.5% Motion Filed
230	OR	23.5% Citation Processed
0	OR	0.0% Notification of Acknowledgement of Paternity Processed
154	OR	15.7% Scheduling of Judicial Review
153	OR	15.6% Scheduling of Administrative Review
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Foster Care Review
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
0	OR	0.0% Does Not Apply
5	OR	0.5% Other
979	OR	100.0% Total

Of The 885 Cases:

#### Type Of Detention

0	OR	0.0% Non-Secure Placement
3	OR	0.3% Juvenile Detention Facility
0	OR	0.0% Jail - Complete Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - Partial Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - No Separation
0	OR	0.0% Psychiatric Hospital
5	OR	0.6% Unknown
860	OR	97.2% Does Not Apply
17	OR	1.9% Other
885	OR	100.0% Total

#### Placement After Secure Detention Hearing

0	OR	0.0% Returned To Prior Living Arrangement
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3	OR	0.3% Juvenile Detention Facility
0	OR	0.0% Jail
0	OR	0.0% Shelter Facility/Group Home
7	OR	0.8% Foster Family
0	OR	0.0% Psychiatric Hospital
5	OR	0.6% Unknown
860	OR	97.2% Does Not Apply
10	OR	1.1% Other
885	OR	100.0% Total

During January - December 2000, Dispositions or Adjudications Affecting

652 Children

#### Age of Child At Referral

214	OR	32.8% Birth Through Age 10
29	OR	4.4% Ages 11 Through 12
59	OR	9.0% Ages 13 Through 14
150	OR	23.0% Ages 15 Through 16
198	OR	30.4% Age 17 Through 18
2	OR	0.3% Age 19 And Over
0	OR	0.0% Unknown/Not Reported
652	OR	100.0% Total

#### Sex of Child

378	OR	58.0% Male
274	OR	42.0% Female
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
652	OR	100.0% Total

#### Race of Child

647	OR	99.2% White
3	OR	0.5% African American
0	OR	0.0% Native American
0	OR	0.0% Asian
2	OR	0.3% Mixed Race
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
652	OR	100.0% Total

Of the 652 Children Referred

#### Hispanic Origin

0	OR	0.0% Were Of Hispanic Origin
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#### Living Arrangement of Child At Time of Referral

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227	OR	34.8% Living With Both Biological Parents
2	OR	0.3% Living With Father And Stepmother
8	OR	1.2% Living With Mother And Stepfather

281	OR	43.1% Living With Mother
50	OR	7.7% Living With Father
47	OR	7.2% Living With Relatives
2	OR	0.3% Living With Adoptive Parents
2	OR	0.3% Living With Foster Family
3	OR	0.5% Living In A Group Home
3	OR	0.5% Living In A Residential Center
1	OR	0.2% Living In An Institution
1	OR	0.2% Living Independently
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
25	OR	3.8% Other
652	OR	100.0% Total

#### School Enrollment of Child

392	OR	60.1% Were Enrolled In School
1	OR	0.2% Were Not Enrolled In School
259	OR	39.7% Unknown
652	OR	100.0% Total

#### Last Grade Completed By Child

0	OR	0.0% Too Young For School
3	OR	0.5% Pre-School
2	OR	0.3% Finished Kindergarten
1	OR	0.2% Finished Grade 1
1	OR	0.2% Finished Grade 2
1	OR	0.2% Finished Grade 3
0	OR	0.0% Finished Grade 4
6	OR	0.9% Finished Grade 5
5	OR	0.8% Finished Grade 6
10	OR	1.5% Finished Grade 7
30	OR	4.6% Finished Grade 8
23	OR	3.5% Finished Grade 9
14	OR	2.1% Finished Grade 10
10	OR	1.5% Finished Grade 11
1	OR	0.2% Finished Grade 12
0	OR	0.0% Non-graded Special Education
0	OR	0.0% GED
0	OR	0.0% Graduated
1	OR	0.2% Never Been In School
544	OR	83.4% Unknown
652	OR	100.0% Total

#### Enrolled In Special Education

3	OR	0.5% Were Enrolled In Special Education
649	OR	99.5% Not Enrolled In Special Education
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
652	OR	100.0% Total

The Following Are The 1,125 Specific **Case Outcomes**

Each Case May Have Resulted In More Than One Outcome;

Therefore The Number Of Total Outcomes May Be Greater Than The Total Number Of Cases

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246	OR	21.87% Case Dismissed
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0	OR	0.00% Case Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>
3	OR	0.27% Warned/Counseled
12	OR	1.07% Held Open For Review
16	OR	1.42% Supervision/Probation To Juvenile Court
84	OR	7.47% Probation To Parents
39	OR	3.47% Referral To Another Entity For Supervision/Service
9	OR	0.80% Referred For Mental Health Counseling
28	OR	2.49% Referred For Alcohol and Drug Counseling
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Alternative School
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Private Child Agency
9	OR	0.80% Referred To Defensive Driving School
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Alcohol Safety School
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Juvenile Court Education-Based Program
4	OR	0.36% Driver's License Held Informally
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Placement With DMHMR
0	OR	0.00% Private Mental Health Placement
0	OR	0.00% Private Mental Retardation Placement
12	OR	1.07% Placement with City/County/Agency/Facility
39	OR	3.47% Placement with Relative/Other Individual
26	OR	2.31% Fine
33	OR	2.93% Public Service
12	OR	1.07% Restitution
5	OR	0.44% Runaway Returned
13	OR	1.16% No Contact Order
0	OR	0.00% Injunction Other Than No Contact Order
2	OR	0.18% House Arrest
3	OR	0.27% Court Defined Curfew
1	OR	0.09% Dismissed From Informal Adjustment
0	OR	0.00% Dismissed From Pretrial Diversion
12	OR	1.07% Released From Probation
0	OR	0.00% Transferred To Adult Court
0	OR	0.00% DMHMR Involuntary Commitment
0	OR	0.00% DCS Commitment - Determinate
41	OR	3.64% DCS Commitment/Custody
0	OR	0.00% DCS Commitment - Suspended
0	OR	0.00% DCS Intensive Probation
1	OR	0.09% Other Intensive Probation
38	OR	3.38% DCS Probation
1	OR	0.09% Placed Under a Valid Court Order
4	OR	0.36% Supervision By DCS
27	OR	2.40% Transferred To Another Juvenile Court For Disposition
4	OR	0.36% Parental Rights Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Parental Rights Not Terminated

2	OR	0.18% Order of Reference To DCS
0	OR	0.00% Court Costs
0	OR	0.00% Foster Care Terminated
1	OR	0.09% Foster Care Continued
14	OR	1.24% Custody Changed
4	OR	0.36% Custody Unchanged

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19	OR	1.69% Visitation Changed
2	OR	0.18% Visitation Unchanged
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Acknowledgment of Paternity
24	OR	2.13% Paternity Determined/Child Legitimated
0	OR	0.00% Paternity Not Determined/Child Not Legitimated
116	OR	10.31% Child Support Granted
24	OR	2.13% Child Support Amended
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Denied
2	OR	0.18% Child Support Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Request For Medical Treatment Granted
0	OR	0.00% Request For Medical Treatment Denied
2	OR	0.18% Consent To Marry Granted
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Denied
191	OR	16.98% Other
1,125	OR	100.00% Total

#### Disposed By

Of the	979	Referral Reasons Disposed, There Were
836	OR	85.4% Disposed By The Judge
0	OR	0.0% Disposed By The Referee
142	OR	14.5% Disposed By The YSO
1	OR	0.1% Other
979	OR	100.0% Total

Of The 885 Cases Disposed,  
The **Action Used To Dispose/Adjust** Each Of The 979 Referral Reasons Was:

274	OR	28.0% Dismissed
0	OR	0.0% Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>
57	OR	5.8% Complaint Substantiated Delinquent
13	OR	1.3% Complaint Substantiated Status Offender
12	OR	1.2% Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglected
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Abused
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill
185	OR	18.9% Informal Adjustment
17	OR	1.7% Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.0% Transfer To Adult Court Hearing
0	OR	0.0% Charges Cleared By Transfer To Adult Court
204	OR	20.8% Special Proceeding
164	OR	16.8% Review Concluded
6	OR	0.6% Case Held Open
47	OR	4.8% Other
979	OR	100.0% Total